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ARBOC Specialty Vehicles Receives Large Contract from Charlotte

Middlebury, IN – Charlotte Area Transit System (CATS) recently placed an order with Creative Bus Sales (CBS) of Charlotte, NC, for nineteen Ford Spirit of Independence buses manufactured by ARBOC Specialty Vehicles LLC of Middlebury, Indiana. This nearly twenty bus contract is the largest order ARBOC has received for the new product.

Charlotte Area Transit System operates bus and rail service around the Charlotte metropolitan area with their Sprinter line, LYNX Blue Line, and CityLYNX Gold Line. Due to the safety and dependability expected from ARBOC and the low cost of ownership, the new Spirit of Independence on the Ford Transit chassis will be a welcome addition to the CATS fleet.

Kim Yoder, National Sales Manager for ARBOC, states “We could not be more excited to form a partnership with Charlotte Area Transit System with this initial bus order. With a strong partner like Creative Bus Sales, we are confident the client and their customers will be thrilled with the new vehicles and the support that they receive after delivery.”

Creative Bus Sales works directly with Charlotte to provide sales, service, and parts support. Creative was formed in 1980 and has expanded greatly in the years since, now having over twenty locations nationwide. ARBOC is eager to collaborate with both CATS and CBS on forthcoming contracts.

About ARBOC Specialty Vehicles LLC

Founded in 2008, ARBOC Specialty Vehicles LLC is a pioneer in low-floor technology and the industry leader in the development and manufacture of low-floor technology up to 34'. Through its four key product offerings, the Spirit of Mobility, Spirit of Freedom, Spirit of Independence and Spirit of Liberty, ARBOC offers low-floor paratransit products that serve a variety of industries and applications as well as meet and exceed 2014-2018 federal fuel economy standards. Learn more at www.ARBOSV.com or follow us on Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, or YouTube.

About Charlotte Area Transit System

The Charlotte Area Transit System, commonly referred to as CATS, is the public transit system in Charlotte, North Carolina, United States. It operates bus and rail service around the Charlotte metropolitan area. For more information visit <http://charlottenc.gov/cats>

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About Creative Bus Sales

Celebrating its 36th anniversary, Creative Bus Sales is the nation's largest bus dealership, representing over 25 top manufacturers in multiple strategic locations across the country. With hundreds of units in stock, including alternative fuel buses and vans, Creative offers new and used bus sales, online parts ordering, service, warranty, in-house financing, and alternative fuel conversions, including CNG, propane and electric. Visit us at CreativeBusSales.com or on social media: [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) or [LinkedIn](#). 800.326.2877. Sales@CreativeBusSales.com